

## One Syllable Words with Vowel Sound AW

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The /aw/ sound is spelled four ways in the OnTrack Reading curriculum and is taught after all of the other vowel sounds except one. In some locales, the /o/ sound in “hot” and the /aw/ sound in “claw” are identical, so a curriculum decision must be made whether to complicate the /o/ lesson presented earlier by adding four more spellings or to follow the OnTrack Reading curriculum and introduce these four spellings near the end.

The words in the list below start with basic code consonant spellings, then progress to more complex consonant spellings. The words marked with an asterisk (\*) contain consonant spellings that are not taught explicitly in the OnTrack Reading curriculum.

### **-aw-**

jaw  
hawk  
awl  
bawl  
claw  
flaw  
law  
dawn  
fawn  
lawn  
paw  
pawn  
brawl  
crawl  
draw  
drawn  
prawn  
raw  
saw  
scrawl  
spawn  
sprawl  
straw  
**shawl**  
**thaw**  
**squawk**  
**gnaw**  
yawn

### **-au-**

haul  
maul  
fraud  
fault  
haunt  
jaunt  
taunt  
taut  
vault  
**launch**  
sauce  
cause  
clause  
gauze  
pause  
mauve

### **-augh-**

caught  
taught

### **-ough-**

bought  
brought  
fought  
sought  
**thought**